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In re Appln. of: NORMAN SZALONY et al.

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NOTICE OF APPEAL

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Appeals from the decision of the Examiner mailed March 23, 2004 finally rejecting claims 3-6 and 9-15 (the shortened statutory period for response having been extended two months under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)(2) to August 23, 2004, as indicated in the Transmittal to which this paper is attached).

Applicants have calculated an appeal fee in amount of \$330.00 to be presently due in connection with this Notice under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(b). The Transmittal to which this paper is attached includes a fee statement identifying the calculated appeal fee of \$330.00, along with an authorization to charge this amount, and any fee deficiency, to the deposit account of Applicants's assignee, Visteon Global Technologies, Inc., Deposit Account No. 06-1500.

Respectfully submitted,



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